



Claims

1. (Currently Amended) An apparatus to store and carry mobile audio-video components, comprising:

a first compartment ~~adapted to~~ protectively storeing a video screen mobile audio-video component;

a second compartment ~~adapted to~~ protectively storeing a video player mobile audio-video component ;

wherein the ~~two~~ first and the second compartments are connectable to form a single storage unit ~~in a manner that protectsing~~ the audio-video components one component in each compartment; and

wherein the two compartments are distinct and completely separable for operation of the audio-video components with one component still protected in each compartment, the two components connected by wires, and a screen of the video screen componet exposed for viewing.

2. (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim 1, wherein the video screen is secured into ~~the~~ one compartment using a ~~method~~ fastener selected from the group consisting of ~~Velcro-RTM~~ hook and loop fasteners, snaps, ties or zippers.

3. (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim 2, wherein the ~~first~~ one compartment further comprises:

mounting means permitting attachment of the video screen to a headrest or center console of a vehicle.

4. (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim 3, wherein said mounting means are selected from the group consisting of ~~Velcro-RTM~~ hook and loop fasteners, snaps, ties or zippers.

5. (Currently Amended) A mobile audio-video system comprising:

a storage case having a first and second compartment ~~and~~;

connecting means between said first and second compartments;
a video display always located within said first compartment;
a video player always located within said second compartment;
wherein said storage case ~~is~~ becomes a single monolithic unit when said connecting means are closed; and
wherein said first and second compartments can be completely separated from each other when said connecting means are open, the video display connected by wires to the video player, and a screen of the video player exposed for viewing.

6. (Original) The system of claim 5, wherein the video player is a videocassette player.

7. (Original) The system of claim 5, wherein the video player is a DVD player.

8. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 5, wherein the video player is secured into the second compartment using a method fastener selected from the group consisting of ~~Velcro-RTM~~ hook and loop fasteners, snaps, ties or zippers.

9. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 5, wherein the video player and the video screen are connected by wires, ~~and further comprising an~~ passing through opening in ~~one or more of said~~ both compartments for the routing of said wires.

10. (Original) The system of claim 1, further comprising power adapter means for connecting said video player and video screen to a power source.

11. (Original) The system of claim 10, wherein the power source is an automobile.

12. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 5, further comprising means on the exterior of said first compartment for securing said first compartment to a head

rest or center console of a vehicle.

13. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 5, wherein said video player and video screen may be operated for viewing of the screen of the video screen with said first and said compartments in partially connected state, wherein said connecting means are not fully closed and not fully ~~closed~~ open.